

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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OBJECTIVES OF NATP
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the aims and objectives of the National Agricultural Technology Project (NATP) and the States covered thereunder; and
(b) the funds allocated and the expenditure incurred under this project during 2000-2001, State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. DEBENDRA PRADHAN)

- (a)
(i) Revitalize the national technology Generation, assessment, refinement and dissemination system;
(ii) Address location-specific production system problems for which technical solutions exist;
(iii) Strengthen frontier areas of research to take advantages of modern tools now available;
(iv) Conserve natural resource base and enhance productivity of these resources;
(v) Strengthen management tools and procedures and development of information management systems, suited to national needs;
(vi) Strengthen national capacity in research and extension management, policy planning, priority setting, monitoring and evaluation to meet current and emerging needs of agricultural development.
(b) The State-wise releases/expenditure during 2000-2001 is as per Annexure-I.

Annexure-I

State-wise Releases/Expenditure of Funds during 2001-2001

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl.No. States Release/Expenditure (2000-01)

	ICAR Institutes	SAUs	NGOs	Total	
1.	Andhra Pradesh	3863.18	151.09	64.92	4079.19
2.	Assam		152.06	24.80	176.86
3.	Arunachal Pradesh				
4.	Bihar		7.99	62.29	70.28
5.	Chattishgarh		1.31		1.31
6.	Goa				
7	Gujarat	15.03	57.99		73.02

8.	Haryana	483.66	26.33		509.99
9.	Himachal Pradesh	31.18	91.39		122.57
10.	Jammu & Kashmir		32.89		32.89
11.	Jharkhand		15.13		15.13
12.	Karnataka	569.05	281.18	21.73	871.96
13.	Kerala	111.61	95.16		206.77
14.	Maharashtra	138.19	108.92		247.11
15.	Meghalaya	33.61		9.41	43.02
16.	Manipur		0.67		0.67
17.	Madhya Pradesh	627.39	115.36		742.75
18.	Nagaland				
19.	New Delhi (including PIU)	3637.92	63.38		3701.30
20.	Orissa	73.11	38.15		111.36
21.	Punjab	11.97	52.48		64.45
22.	Rajasthan	550.97	26.55		577.52
23.	Sikkim				
24.	Tamil Nadu	6.00	231.50	22.94	260.44
25.	Port Blair (UT)	66.91			66.91
26.	Uttar Pradesh	578.79	193.06	28.78	800.63
27.	Uttaranchal	12.50			12.50
28.	West Bengal	12.04	40.45		52.49
Total		10831.10	1773.96	235.96	12841.02